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MARYLAND GAZETTE.

THURSDAY, MARCH 24, 1803.

NATCHEZ, February 5.

A LETTER from a gentleman in New-Orleans to his friend in this place, dated January 29, fays, —"A report is in circulation here, and generally credited, that the court of Spain have purchafed the province of Louifiana from France, for fix millions of dollars, and fome fhips of the line.

FRANKFORT, (Ken.) March 3.

The following very important information was obligingly communicated to us this morning by the honourable John Brown, who arrived from Waſhington City on Tueſday evening.—Two days before he left the ſeat of government (which was on the 14th ult.) diſpatches had been received from Mr. Livingſton, our ambaſſador at Paris, in which it is ſtated that in conſequence of a diplomatic note preſented by him on the ſubject of the late irregular proceeding at New-Orleans, he received aſſurances from the French miniſter of foreign affairs, that France would reſpect the rights of America—that ſhe had received Louiſiana from Spain, ſubject to ſuch ſtipulations as are contained in our treaties with that power,—and that ſhe wiſhed to cultivate, with the Americans, a ſpirit of harmony and good will. The French miniſter further aſſured Mr. Livingſton, that as ſoon as the firſt conſul arrived (who was expected in Paris the next day) an official note, containing theſe ſentiments, ſhould be delivered to him to forward to his government.

No doubt can be entertained of the authenticity of this intelligence, as Mr. Brown received it from the preſident himſelf, and has authoriſed us to make it public. Mr. Jefferſon further obſerved, that although the re-eſtabliſhment of things on their former footing, was all we had a right to demand—experience had ſhewn it would not be ſufficient to enſure the protection of the weſtern commerce, or to reſtore confidence to the minds of our citizens—the government would therefore make every exertion in its power to obtain one entire ſide of the river Miſſiſſippi.

Of the probable ſucceſs of ſuch a negotiation, all are at liberty to form their own conjectures—but uncandid muſt be that mind, and depraved the heart, that could propoſe to raiſe the ſtandard of revolt againſt a government which has not loſt a moment to endeavour to redreſs the grievances of which we juſtly complain.

A handſome *ſchooner*, the property of Mr. John Inſtone, of this place, was launched on Sunday laſt, from Yateman's boat yard, one mile and a quarter above the town. Her burthen is about 60 tuns, and her general appearance does credit to the builder. Although the whole of the work which is uſually done before launching was not completed, it was deemed prudent to precipitate her into the deſtined element, as the water was falling, and a further delay might endanger her lying on the ſtocks perhaps a conſiderable time. We believe this is the largeſt veſſel that has yet been built on the Kentucky river,—and we view it not only as an honourable mark of the public ſpirit of the undertaker; but as the happy preſage of a flouriſhing trade, to be carried on in veſſels which will aſk no favours from the petty deſpot of the port of New-Orleans.

On Sunday laſt the brigs Muſkingum of Marietta, and Dean of Pittſburg, paſſed over the Rapids, at Louiſville, in ſafety. A number of the citizens went over in theſe veſſels to aſſiſt in keeping them in the current, and were entertained with various refreſhments by the captains.

The brig Kentucky, of Louiſville, was expected to go over on Sunday.

PROVIDENCE, March 5.

Part of a letter from a gentleman on board the United States frigate John Adams, to his friend in this town, dated

MALAGA, December 13.

"Orders have arrived from government for the return of the Cheſapeake, Conſtellation and Adams frigates, leaving our commerce under the protection of the New-York, Enterprize and John Adams. We arrived from Gibraltar on the 9th, and found the Conſtellation here—ſhe ſails for America in three days. The Swedes have concluded a peace with Tripoli, and no American ſhips of war being off there, a number of Tripolitan cruiſers have ſailed in queſt of prey. To-morrow we go in queſt of them."

NEW-YORK, March 14.

By captain Seton, of the ſhip Betſey, from Leghorn, we have received an official account of ſeveral Tripolitan cruiſers, under the command of a renegado by the name of Liſle, being at ſea. The following is the letter of the American conſul addreſſed to the captains of veſſels at Leghorn:

"*Leghorn, 24th November*, 1802.

"GENTLEMEN,

"I have this day received official intelligence, that renegade Liſle, the Tripoline commodore, was on the 21ſt ult. ready for ſea, with a ſquadron conſiſting of a xebec of 10 guns, one do. of 14, and a kirlengieti of 14. That on the 9th of the ſaid month, a xebec of 14 guns ſailed on a cruiſe; and that a kirlengieti and a polacre of 18 guns each, and a xebec of 16, were alſo ready and preparing for ſea. It is conjectured that Liſle, the commodore, with his ſquadron, intends to paſs the Straits. He has dreſſed his people in ſhort blue jackets, overalls and hats, for a decoy.

"I am reſpectfully,
"Your obedient humble ſervant,
"TH. APPLETON, Conſul."

Captain Seton informs us, that on firſt of February, in ſight of Gibraltar, he ſpoke a brig from Carthagena, bound to Cadiz, who informed him, that a few days previous to his ſailing, an American frigate was loſt, together with all her crew, on the coaſt of Spain, near that port. It blowing hard, captain S. could not learn the frigate's name, but believes it to be the Adams, as ſhe was the only frigate cruiſing in that part of the Mediterranean.

[We have reaſon to believe, and we ſincerely hope, that in the account reſpecting the loſs of the United States frigate Adams, captain Seton has been miſinformed. Our advices from Gibraltar are to the firſt of February, at which time the Adams was lying there in ſafety. The preſumption is ſtrong, that the veſſel alluded to, as being totally loſt, is the Portugueſe frigate Phœnix, of 50 guns, who ſometime before ſtruck upon Pearl Rock, beat to ſea without her rudder, and not ſince been heard of.]

Captain Spooner, of the ſchooner Harvey, from the Havanna, informs, that the day before he ſailed, a ſhip belonging to Philadelphia left there for Cape-Francois with a number of blood hounds, to hunt the blacks.—The French frigate which ſailed ſometime previous, and on board of which a reinforcement of this kind of warriors was ſaid to be embarked, had a conſiderable number of Spaniſh troops on board, but no hounds.

Capt. Gardner, of the ſhip America, in thirty days from Liſbon, informs us, that on the tenth of February (the day before he ſailed) a Britiſh packet had arrived at Liſbon in ſeven days from Falmouth, with intelligence that the French ſenatus conſultum had refuſed to confer on Buonaparte the title of "Emperor of the Gauls." News had alſo reached Liſbon, that American veſſels were excluded from the port of Cadiz in conſequence of new regulations in the Spaniſh ſyſtem of quarantine.

PHILADELPHIA, March 14.

By a recent order of general Rochambeau, no veſſel under 70 tuns burthen will be admitted into the ports of St. Domingo. This regulation has been occaſioned by the detection of ſeveral ſmall veſſels being engaged in unlawful commerce with the brigands.

March 19.

Capt. Dolby of the Little Robert, arrived yeſterday, from Malaga, ſays, that while at Malaga he was informed by the American conſul, that the dey of Algiers had declared war againſt France.

Capt. D. is the bearer of diſpatches from the American conſul, and was charged, in caſe of putting into any other port than that of his deſtination, to uſe the utmoſt exertion in forwarding them to the ſeat of government.—From which we conclude they are of an important nature.

From a Trinidad paper received at Norfolk.

PORT OF SPAIN, Jan. 27.

It is currently reported that (by letters received by the laſt packet, via St. Vincent) the French government have not only conſented to cede the iſland of Tobago to Great-Britain, but alſo that ſhe ſhould retain the port and iſland of Malta. We have not heard what equivalent Great-Britain has given in lieu of theſe ceſſions.

We find by a note in the Kentucky Palladium, that Thomas T. Davis, late a repreſentative from that ſtate; has declined being a candidate for the next congreſs.

WASHINGTON, March 17.

(OFFICIAL.)

Tranſlation of a letter from the marquis de Caſa Yrujo to the ſecretary of ſtate.

WASHINGTON, March 10, 1803.

SIR,

When you repreſented to me towards the end of November laſt, that the port of New-Orleans had been ſhut againſt the citizens of the United States, without the aſſignment of any equivalent place of depoſit for their merchandiſe on the banks of the Miſſiſſippi, according to the ſtipulation in the 22d article of the treaty of amity, commerce and navigation between the king my maſter and the United States, I did not heſitate to declare to you that I conſidered this meaſure, as flowing ſolely from the miſtaken zeal of the intendant of Louiſiana, without the approbation, and even without the knowledge of my court. I well knew the ſincere deſire of the king, my maſter, to live in peace and good harmony with the United States; as I alſo knew well the ſcrupulous good faith with which the Spaniſh government fulfils the engagements which it forms, particularly when they are founded on the ſolemnity of a treaty.

I have now the ſatisfaction of informing you that my firſt opinion has been verified, and of declaring in the moſt poſitive terms, that the proclamation of the intendant is an act purely perſonal, without the ſanction and even without the knowledge of his Catholic majeſty. In reality, if the ſaid proclamation had appeared here in an entire ſtate, no doubt could have taken place as to the ſource of this proceeding; but the operative part thereof alone has circulated through the United States, the preamble introducing it, having been, probably without deſign, omitted.

I have therefore the honour to communicate herewith an entire and correct copy of the aforeſaid proclamation; and by the expreſſions which I have underlined, it will be clearly ſeen that the arrangement is abſolutely perſonal, and has originated in the faculties which the intendant ſuppoſed to be incident to his ſtation.

This aſſertion is not founded merely on the obvious inference from theſe expreſſions: The intendant himſelf declares it to me in the moſt direct terms in a letter of January 15th, which I have juſt received from him; and the governor of the province confirms the ſame thing with the ſame ſolemnity in another letter of the ſame date. Neither the one, nor the other diſpute the right of the citizens of the weſtern ſtates to a place of depoſit on the Spaniſh banks of the Miſſiſſippi; but the intendant thinks, that the term of three years allowed for the purpoſe at New-Orleans, having expired, and much prejudice to the royal intereſts being experienced from its continuance in that city, it was incumbent on him to ſuſpend the depoſit there, without venturing to take on himſelf the aſſignment of another equivalent place; not becauſe he doubted the right of the inhabitants of the United States thereto; but becauſe it appeared to him to be an act exceeding his authority, and which he ought to leave to the royal determination of our ſovereign. The governor of Louiſiana ſaw the ſubject under a point of view more correct in my judgment, and more favourable to the inhabitants of the United States.

From the whole it reſults that the ſuſpenſion of the depoſit not being an act of my court, and no perſon even diſputing the right of the American citizens in the caſe, I ſhall now take upon myſelf to adopt meaſures which muſt enſure to the United States, the enjoyment of all the rights ſtipulated in the 22d article of the treaty, on the arrival at New-Orleans of the diſpatches which will be forwarded under this date.

Letter from Mr. Pichon, charge des affaires of the French republic, to the governor of his Catholic majeſty in Louiſiana.—

(Communicated to the ſecretary of ſtate.)

George-town, near Waſhington City, 11th March, 1803.

SIR,

The marquis d'Yrujo has communicated to me the contents of the diſpatches, which he has juſt received from your excellency, and from the intendant of his Catholic majeſty in the province under your command, in anſwer to thoſe which he wrote to you in relation to the late ſuſpenſion of the right of depoſit conceded to the United States at New-Orleans.

The marquis d'Yrujo finds himſelf neceſſitated, again to remonſtrate to your excellency on that ſubject. I avail myſelf of the opportunity, to beg of you, Sir, in the name of the French government, whoſe intereſts are implicated in this caſe, maturely to conſider the alarming conſequences which may reſult, if the intendant ſhould perſiſt in his meaſures. The intelligence which has been tranſmitted to the marquis d'Yrujo has, at laſt, made it appear indubitable that the meaſure alluded to was excluſively grounded on the perſonal opinions of this officer; and ſupported by no order from his Catholic majeſty, or any intimation from the French government. This information, while it ſcreens from ſuſpicion the diſpoſitions of both governments, and lays entirely on the intendant the conſequences of the preſent ſtate of things, does not however remove the apprehenſions which that ſtate is calculated to excite. Theſe apprehenſions, Sir, give an additional force to the ſtrong ſtep, which, for my part, and in the name of

conviction which I entertained that these measures had a cause merely local, I had no hesitation, lately, to address to the authorities, hourly expected, of the French republic at New-Orleans, under cover to the intendant. So pressing are the circumstances, that I deem it my duty to renew these remonstrances, and to intreat your excellency to exert your superior authority, to prevent the consequences which the prolongation of the present order of things may produce.

It will not escape your notice, Sir, that France now being notoriously the proprietor of Louisiana, and the authorities of his Catholic majesty exercising in this colony, at present, only an intermediary power, any measure having a tendency to commit France, on whom the odium and the consequences of what has been done visibly fall, ought, were its justice and its lawfulness doubtful only, to be suspended; otherwise France may find herself committed, and her relations with the United States materially changed without her consent. I enter into no further details with your excellency, being satisfied that they would be superfluous; your excellency will be aware that the present is a most critical moment. In the collision of two authorities, one of which undertakes to initiate a construction of treaties, which may lead to war, it fortunately happens, that the paramount authority, which is eminently intrusted with the preservation and safety of the colony, is of an opinion calculated to maintain peace. In such an alternative, Sir, your excellency ought to hesitate no longer in using your powers to preserve this peace. If it should be disturbed, the responsibility of the event must inevitably be on your excellency. His Catholic majesty, who is in some measure guarantee to France for Louisiana, until France shall have occupied it, would have to blame you for not having taken the measures necessary to fulfil that guaranty towards his ally.

The contents of this letter, Sir, will, I am confident, be fully justified to your excellency by the existing circumstances, which the marquis d'Yrujo, in behalf of his court, will doubtless make known to you more particularly. It only remains for me, therefore, to pray your excellency to accept the assurance of my respect and high consideration.

(Signed) L. A. PICHON.

His excellency the governor of his Catholic majesty in the province of Louisiana.

Arrived in this city the United States frigate CONSTELLATION, in 40 days from Gibraltar.

BALTIMORE, March 16.

We conversed with a gentleman this day, who left Nashville on the 16th and South-West Point on the 23d ultimo, who heard nothing of the opening of the port of New-Orleans, at that time. His information is a day later than the extract which has been published from that quarter.

CURE FOR A CANCER.

From an Edinburgh paper.

"While I was at *Smyrna* there was a girl afflicted with a cancer in her lip, and the gum was affected. The European physicians consulted on the measure to be taken, and agreed that they saw no other method than to cut it out; and the girl had already submitted herself to that decision.—By an accident of that nature which men cannot account for, an old American came to them just in time to prevent the application of the knife.—"Do nothing," said the American, "I will cure her;" and when he had pledged himself strongly, the physicians consented.

"He procured a copper vessel, *newly tinned*, in the inside (an essential circumstance) and having poured a certain quantity of *olive oil* into it he made it boil, over a slow fire, sufficiently to keep it gently agitated, and so for three times in 24 hours. With this the oil resolved itself to the consistency of an ointment, and by constantly rubbing the part affected, he cured her in 14 days.—Nothing else was done.

Annapolis, March 24.

FOR THE MARYLAND GAZETTE.

The Trifler—No. V.

Anthrope, proton episkepsai, opoion esti to pragma, eita kai tou aeautou fusin katamathe, ei dunatai bastasai.

EPIC.

Sumite materiam vestris, qui scribitis, aequam
Viribus; et versate diu, quid ferre recusent
Quid valeant humeri. HOR.

EPICTETUS and Horace concur in advising us to consider deliberately what we embark in, and not to engage in any enterprise until we have maturely weighed the difficulties necessarily attending it. To this admonition I have endeavoured to adhere; but notwithstanding all my caution there have been persons malevolent enough to criticise upon my little fugitive numbers, with the severe acrimony of contemporaries. But I am happy to discover that my opponents are such, as have themselves made feeble essays at composition, but unable to soar on the light pinions of immortal fame to that exalted and ennobling height, where a warm imagination or self admiring vanity had pointed, have become, without the requisites, the self appointed arbiters of the literary world, from whose tyrannic tribunal no appeal should lie. Another description of persons who obtrude themselves on my notice, are those, who far advanced in the giddy vortex of fashionable dissipation, cannot withstand the lash of honest satire. On all such I smile, contemptuously smile. Let them still pursue the path of dark oblivious night. When the curtain of their lives shall fall, and the last dreary bell of death announce their exits from existence, no cheering ray of honourable fame will dissipate the gloom, no friendly recollections then illume the lingering moments of departing life: In short,

"Their praise is censure, and their censure praise."

It was one of my noble ancestors who first introduced the custom of frequenting coffee houses and taverns, and instituted that society of men, known in most parts of the civilized world, by the appellation of Loungers. Little did he imagine that one of them at a future period would be the place where abuse and raillery would be cast upon one of his descendants. Happening to enter the City Hotel, I walked into an unoccupied room to lounge away a few minutes which passed tediously along. In an adjoining apartment, the door of which was not entirely closed, there were several persons, most of whom were perfectly unknown to me, discussing the merits of a paper which lay before them on a table. Through this small aperture I could see them unobserved, and hear them undiscovered. Not being of a curious disposition, I did not attend to their conversation, until the name of the Trifler sounded in my ears, pronounced in an accent, and accompanied by language, not very congenial with the tender feelings of authorship. This induced me to pay more attention, when the subsequent conversation occurred, which I shall give to my readers in the very diction it was delivered. "I'd bet my life," cried a little fat man sitting in a corner, "that this author, whoever he be, is a Methodist. I at first imagined him a Quaker, but he does not use the strange canting dialect for which that sectary is remarkable. Nobody but a Methodist," continued he, "would write in such a style about "spensers and wigs. Why cannot he let the fashions alone? "This is a free country, and every thing tolerated but such "acts as are contrary to its constitution and laws." "I "should be of your opinion," rejoined another who sat nearly opposite, "but that he certainly has gone through "the routine of literature, and you know methodists are "generally plain honest men, whose education extends no "farther than a sufficiency to carry on their trade and occupation." "Hold there," interrupted another, whose rusticated appearance and garb spoke him from the country, "you injure that honest society of men: I knew, (raising "his voice,) a man of that denomination who learned "through Dilworth's arithmetic three times, and had made "some progress in plain sailing." The other who did not appear to approbate the interruption his eloquence had received, turned away disdainfully, not deigning even to reply. I expected he would have finished his animadversions, but fortunately for me his choler was too great to permit him. He sat apparently revolving in his own mind his fancied superiority over the person who had dared to interrupt him. After a pause of some minutes, during which the palpitations of my heart were violent, the little fat gentlemen again spoke; whom I now discovered to be a lawyer with whom I had a slight personal acquaintance. "I am surprised," said he, "the person who wrote the Trifler should dare to assume the name of my old friend Bob; why Bob Trifler is "as far superior to him in elegance of composition, as "Blackstone to Littleton. I know it well, for I have seen "many of his prosaic effusions; many of his sonnets and "odes have been submitted to the corrections of my pen "before they were given to his mistress or the world." (this was the first time I ever was accused of poetry.) "I would "advise him, as a friend, as one interested in his reputation, to prosecute him for forgery, and I am not certain "but an *action of the case* for slander might be maintained "against this audacious assassin of his private fame." "I "don't know, (exclaimed the honest countryman,) whether "I would bring an *action* for such a *case* as this, but if "what you say be true, the first *action* I would *do* would be "to break his head"—at the same time he raised a large hickory which he held in his hand; the sight of this Herculean club made every atom of me tremble, and I was preparing to make a precipitate escape, when the voice of the self conceited orator arrested my steps. "All must agree in "this, (said he,) that he certainly has selected the best name "he possibly could for his paper. No word in the English "language is more adapted to his mode of writing than "Trifler. It tells us before an examination that the offsprings of his pen are paltry, trifling and absurd." "Hold "there, (once more interrupted my friend,) I have read all "the numbers which have yet issued from the press, and "am extremely pleased with them. He exposes the folly of "the present degenerate times, and tries to make us resume "that plainness of manners which was our characteristic "before the separation of the colonies from the parent "country." This was pronounced in a firm and animated tone. My adversaries, (for so I may justly call them,) seemed startled at this unexpected opposition in sentiment, and unwilling to contend with a man, in their opinion, so greatly their inferior, the lawyer asked his companion to walk with him to the chancery-office; the other giving his assent, they instantly left the room, muttering in a very confused and indistinct articulation something concerning impoliteness and impudence. The venerable old man, upon their departure, took up a pipe, which in the glow of disputation he had laid down, and lighted it with that calmness which always accompanies true courage. Never did I experience more real pleasure than at this moment. My heart beat high with gratitude; willingly would I have advanced to the person who had thus unexpectedly proved my friend, and discovered myself, but fearful least my foes should return and find me in the conference, I checked my inclination, forming a secret resolution to introduce myself to his notice the first favourable opportunity. I returned home. The conversation which I had so recently heard, and in which I was so deeply interested, held possession of my mind. The effrontery and impudence of the world are really astonishing; that a man whose face was scarcely known from the rest of the undistinguished mob, should dare to claim an intimacy and assert a friendship with me, did not so much surprise me; it was what might be expected from little grovelling souls aspiring to scenes and spheres far above the contracted orbits of their narrow lives; but that he should say he had pointed out and corrected errors he had never seen, augmented beauties which never had existed, and been the monitor and poetic corrector of a man to whom he had seldom ever made a passing bow, not only excited amazement, but indignation united with contempt. But such are some of the species man; they care not how far they descend beneath the dignity of the human race, if they can but bribe their fellow-men to imagine them their superiors. The vista of true greatness lies before us, but how trivial the number of competitors. Pretenders to merit crowd the chaos of human life, who like the lightning fly shine for a moment but are again lost in surrounding darkness. The world to them is but a taper, round which they flutter for a time, but eventually fall unlamented victims to its fascinating blaze. How great the man, who not anxious for the wavering applause of giddy multitudes, leaves behind him, in the bosoms of an admiring posterity, a monument as lasting as time itself; a monument which the splendid greatness of his own actions has erected! Such a man, if the native modesty universally attached to merit would permit him, might exclaim, in the words of Horace,

Exegi monumentum aere perennius,
Regalique situ pyramidum altius;
Quod non imber edax, non Aquilo impotens
Possit diruere, aut innumerabilis
Annorum series, et fuga temporum.

*** ALMANACKS for the present Year for sale at this Office.

YOUNG DIOMED,

WILL stand at the subscriber's farm, on Rhode river, about seven miles from Annapolis, this season, to cover mares, at 15 dollars each, and one dollar to the groom, that sum, or a note of twenty dollars, payable the first of January, 1804, must be sent with each mare, or they will not be received; said notes may be discharged by the payment of 15 dollars on or before the first day of December next. The season will commence the first of April and end the first of August.

YOUNG DIOMED is a beautiful dapple grey horse, six years old this spring, full fifteen hands and a half high, his blood and strain equal to any horse on the continent; the compactness of his form, and elegance of his figure, is greatly admired by the best of judges, he is full of bone, and proportionable shape, symmetry, and fine action; he came out of Mr. Ogle's imported mare Charlotte, and was got by col. Tayloe's noted horse Grey Diomed, as will appear by the following certificates.

I do certify the bay mare called Charlotte, sold to Mr. Harford, was got by Snap, a son of old Snap her dam by Lightfoot, a son of old Cade, her granddam by Regulus, her great-grandam by old Cade, her great-great-grandam by old Partner, &c. &c. &c.

(Signed) JOS. HARRY.

October 1, 1779.

A true copy from the original pedigree in my possession.

BENJ. OGLE, jun.

The grey horse now in the possession of col. Sellman was bred by me, he was got by Mr. Tayloe's horse Grey Diomed, out of the above mare.

BENJ. OGLE, jun.

March 20, 1802.

Good pastures will be provided for mares at one third of a dollar per week, but accidents and escapes must be at the risk of their owners.

JONATHAN SELLMAN.

March 22, 1803. 10

MR. DUPORT

PRESENTS his respects to the ladies and gentlemen of Annapolis, and begs leave to inform them, that his SCHOOL will open on Monday the 2d day of May next; those who wish to insert their names previous to the above date will please to apply at Mr. Duport's house. 2

Pursuant to an order from the orphans court of Anne-Arundel county, will be EXPOSED to SALE, on a credit of six months for all sums above ten pounds, at the late dwelling of SARAH WELLS, deceased, on the north side of Severn river, on Monday the 4th day of April next,

ALL the personal estate of said deceased, consisting of negroes, who are to be sold for a term of years only, horses, cattle, sheep, hogs, household furniture, utensils of husbandry, and a variety of other articles too tedious to mention. The sale will commence at 10 o'clock in the morning, and bonds, with approved security, will be required from purchasers.

HORATIO RIDOUT, Administrator.

March 15, 1803. 2

Pursuant to an order of the orphans court of Anne-Arundel county, will be SOLD, at PUBLIC SALE, on Monday the 4th of April, at the subscribers house, near Herring creek church,

THE personal property of JOSEPH DEALE, deceased, consisting of one negro woman and a lad, for the purpose of paying the debts due from the deceased. The sale to commence at ten o'clock, and the terms ready cash.

SAMUEL DEALE, Administrator.

March 15, 1803. 2

FOR SALE,

ABOUT six hundred acres of valuable LAND, being part of Anne-Arundel Manor, whereon RICHARD GREEN formerly lived; there are on it a comfortable dwelling-house, negro quarters, and other houses. For terms apply to Richard Ridgely, Esq. at Annapolis, or the subscriber, at Herring Bay. Forty barrels of corn may be had with the plantation.

THOMAS TILLARD.

Anne-Arundel county, March 15, 1803. 2

GEORGE CLINGMAN,

FROM BALTIMORE,

BEGS leave to inform the citizens of Annapolis, and the public generally, that he has moved to this city, and occupies the brick store fronting the Dock, between Mr. Evans's and Mr. Pinkney's, where he has now on hand a great variety of the most elegant and fashionable HATS, which he will sell considerably cheaper than any hitherto offered in this place, and will warrant them to be of superior quality.

N. B. The highest price, in CASH, will be given for all kinds of furrs. 2

Annapolis, March 15, 1803.

Wanted to Purchase,

A NEGRO MAN, who is acquainted with the driving of oxen; he is wanted to drive an ox cart in the neighbourhood of Baltimore. A young man would be preferred, and more especially if unmarried. It is indispensably necessary that he be sober and honest. For such a one cash will be given by the subscriber. 2

THOMAS SIMPSON.

Annapolis, March 7, 1803.

Anne-Arundel county, to wit:

WHEREAS Henry Howard, collector of the tax for Anne-Arundel county, hath this day returned to the Commissioners of the Tax for said county, the following list of lands, in said county, in which there is no personal property to pay the said taxes, to wit:

Persons names.	Names of land & lots.	Amt. Tax.
John Bullen	Lot in Annapolis	14 9
Geo. & Edward Calvert	Lots in ditto	1 19 3
Walter Dulany & Dan. Wolftenholme's heirs	Lot in ditto	3
Joshua & Rich. Frazier	Lots in ditto	4 12 10
Eliz. Gaffaway	Lot in ditto	16
George Johnson	Lot in ditto	1 10
John Kerr	Lot in ditto	1 2 3
Philip Lee's heirs	Lot in ditto	5
Rich. Lee's heirs	Lot in ditto	1 3 4
Wm. M'Cubbin of Moses	Lot in ditto	17 9
Anne M'Cubbin	Lot in ditto	1 11 4
Susanna M'Cubbin	Lot in ditto	1 18 11
Eliza. Middleton	Lot in ditto	12 11
Benj. Oden for Mrs. West	Lots in ditto	3 16 5
William Paca	Lot in ditto	5
Fran. F. Perrier	Lot in ditto	1 18 9
Edw. Pryse for Edw. Roberts	Lot in ditto	13 2
Margaret Pryse	Lot in ditto	16
Jn. Rogers heirs	Lot in ditto	2 3 2
Mrs. Tootell	Lot in ditto	1 15 8
Wm. Whetcroft	Lots in ditto	10 11 11
Anne Wiseham	Lot in ditto	12 7
Joshua Yates heirs	Lot in ditto	17 10
Lewis Pascault	Lot in ditto	1 7 1
John Gillis	Farmer's Field	4 7 5
Toby Hawkins	Part Acton	12
Gilbert Murdoch	Part Proctor's Forest 76, Murdoch's Discovery 18, part Proctor's Goodwill and Harnels 44	1 5 5
Johnson M. O'Reilly	Young's Inn	8 10 5
Mordecai Hall	Hopkins Choice, Isaac's Enlargement, and Widow's Enlargement	3 4 4
Francis Essex	Shekell's Chance	15 4
Martin Norris	Part Hawkins Addition, and part Saint Thomas's Neck	12 9
William Norris	Part ditto ditto	8 9
Philip Thomas	Dort 300, Galloway's Purchase 12, Gift 115	6 10
Richard Wells	Anna's Desire 193, Nicholson's Choice 77	2 9 8
Philip Spencer	Shipley's Purchase	1 2 3
Wm. Biggs heirs	Lots in London-town	5
John Clarvo	Lots in ditto	7 5
Anne Caton	Lots in ditto	5
Richard Beard's attor.	Chaney's Resolution	1 4 6
John Beard	Beard's Point lands 176, Iiams Purchase, and Burgess Choice 111	3 1 6
Matthew Beard	Beard's Habitation	1 16 8
Daniel Clarke	Part Rowdown Security	11 4
Elizabeth Day	Chaney's Purchase	7 5
Susanna French	Chaney's Rest 40, Widow's Increase 50	13 9
Thomas King	Hickory Hills and Franklin's Enlargement 120, part Burgess Choice, Middle Plantation, Covel's Folly, and Mount Misery	5 3 5
John Nicholson, sen.	Indian Range and Hickory Hills	19 2
Eleanor Read	Part Clarke's Inheritance	4 7
John Stockett	Name unknown	16 8
Richard Wootton	Crabb's Purchase 100, Widow's Purchase 200, name unknown 800	6 8 8
Anne Anderson	Part Providence	17 2
Priscilla Fowler	Part Fowler's Range	9 11
Stephen Steuart	Part Duvall's Range	1 4 6
Richard Tucker	Part Snowden's Reputation Supported	14 9
Jn. Barlow, sen. heirs	Part Half Pone	10
John Brown of Adam heirs	Part Invasion, part Conclusion, and What's Left	1 12 5
Abel Brown, sen. heirs	Part Good Neighbourhood	1 2 3
Vachel Brown	Part Hebron and part Batchelor's Choice	14 8
John Brown, shoe-maker	Victory 38, Eagle's Tower 6	8 9
Vachel Barnes	Part Invasion and Any Thing	1 8 6
Michael Cramlit	Part Howard's Resolution	4 8
Jas. Dick's heirs	Pt. Batchelor's Choice	12 3
Catha. Godman	John's Lookout	11 1
Samuel Sterrett	Land formerly assessed to John Sterrett	4 5 9
Charles Carroll, bar. heirs	Land at Elk-Ridge Landing	19 8
Dennis Griffith & others heirs of Joshua Griffith	Ditto ditto	1 6 1
Charles Ridgely's heirs	Ditto ditto	1 3
Dennis Shipley	Ditto ditto	5
Wm. Urquhart	Ditto ditto	17 3
Baltimore Company	Timber Ridge 3900, part Polecat Forrest 500	26 19
Robert Cornthwait's heirs	Stoney Hill	1 2
Jacob Forrest	Part Weedy Glade	2 6
Ely Griffith	Part First Choice 5, Addition to do. 10½	11
John Pierpoint	Part Chew's Vineyard	9 2
William Smith, Baltimore	Part Weedy Glade	1 3 3
Richard Shipley of John	Part Stamp Act Repealed	12 3
George Gardner, sen.	Gardner's Purchase	12 1
Samuel Lane's heirs	Grammar's Chance, Purnell's Angle, & Harrison's Enlargement	3 1 5
Leonard Lambeth	Part Grammar's Parrott	3 1
Anne Owens	Owens Fancy	1 2 6
Prif. Simmons	Land name unknown	1 7 2
Nathan Smith	Grammar's Parrott	1 15 1
Rich. Shekell	A. A. Manor	8 10
Anne Vernon	Hill's Purchase	1 3 11
Stephen West	Hopkins Fancy 204, lot at Pig Point 1	1 5 2
Francis Worthy	Addition to Saint Jeroms	9
Zebidee Wood's heirs	Part Grammar's Chance	2 5 9
Isaac Pollock	Blooming Plains	4 10 9
Elizabeth Dickerson	Part Second Addition to Snowden's Manor 90, part Warfield's Range 67	19 3
Elisha Kennerly	Part Bite the Biter	4 8
John Mobberly	Part Neal's Delight	4 8
Basil Mulliken	Part Snowden's Manor	6 2
James Tolson	Part Bite the Biter, and Hammond and Gift	13 11
John Warfield	Part Timber Bottom	6 11
John Brown	Part Weston 63, part Providence 74½, Clink, alias Chink, 100, Brown's Increase 100	2 11 6
Wm. Burton	Part Salmon's Hills	6 2
Sam. Chace, Esq;	Howard's Fancy	9 7
Thos. C. Deye	Turkey Quarter	7 19 3
John Elliott	Spanish Oak Grove	6 1½
William Hann's heirs	Woodstock Enlarged	12 3
Mark Johnson's heirs	Weston, Greenwell, and Meek's Rest	5 7
Thomas Iiams	Part Cordwell	6 1½
William King	Part Abbington 327, Henford 353, Addition to Henford 15	4 7 3
John Marriott, sen.	Part Brooksby's Point 146, part Locust Plains 25	1 1 1
Joshua Meek	Ross	5 7
William Paca	Anglin's Discovery 250, Richardson's Joy 50	2 15 2
Nicholas Ridgely	Preston's Fancy 57, Barber's Addition 74, part Ridgely's Chance 360½	2 5 7
Margaret Sappington	Part Grindstone	19 8
Tho. Wootton	Part Covel's Cove	1 3 1
Tho. Worthington, of John	Part Worthington's Beginning	4 18
Vachel White	Part Providence	12 4½
Jonah White	Part Grindstone	1 3
William Rogers heirs	Pt. Holland's Choice	14 9
Hockley Company	Name unknown 80, part Yates Inheritance 100, part Howard's Range	15 4
Elizabeth Darfey, of Nich.	Todd's Rift 309, pt. Andover 100	3 15 3
Jacob Dycus	Addition to Poplar Spring Garden	12 3
Catharine Hall	Part Benjamin's Hope	6 1½
Thomas Harrison's heirs	Andover 1310, part Walker's Inheritance 393½	6 8 8
Jacob Joice	Pt. Jacob's Improved Purchase	1 14 6
Thomas Joice	Part William's Fancy	9 3½
Wm. Thornton	Pt. Hunter's Purchase	17 1
Sarah Godman	Pt. Greenbury's Forrest	13 6
Eliz. Godman	Part ditto	5 6
Jona. Rawlings	Land name unknown	1 11
Thomas Todd	Philk's Rest	6 1½
George Wells	Gibbs Folly, Pound and Bear Neck	1 8 7
Benj. Hatcher	Part Pascal's Plains	6 1½
James Cookley	Hay Neck	6 1½
George Collins	Little Timber Neck	7 9
Mary Gambrill	Part Woodstock and pt. Gambrill's Purchase	19 2
Nathan Hall	Part Milford	3 9
Capt. Maybury	Part Green Spring	3 1
Thos. Mortimer	Timber Neck	1 2 5
Martha Smith	Part Mountain Wales	6 1½
Mary Towell	Part Gotnell's Adventure	7 11
Benl Israel	Part Worthington's Range	3 9
Wm. Plummer	Part Brown's Enlargement 141, from Joseph Owens 14	17 5
William Smith	Miles Chance	9 2½
Wm. Whittington, of Francis	Knighton's Purchase	1 5 4
John Burgess	Richards Lot 95, pt. Brick Mill 20	1 1 3
Thos. Crandell	Part Grammar's Parrott	14 9
Thomas Cooke	Birkhead's Lot	1 16 9
Rachel Carr	Birkhead's Adventure	6 8
William Gover	Batchelor's Choice 400, Gullock's Folly 12½	3 15 9
John Hesselius	Part Homewood's Lot 723, Henrietta and Maria 8, Leonard's Neck 116	30 15 3

NOTICE is hereby given, that unless the county charges aforesaid are paid within thirty days after the publication of this notice, that said lands, or such parts thereof as will be sufficient to pay the tax, and costs thereon, will be sold to the highest bidder, agreeably to the directions of the act of assembly, entitled, An act for the more effectual collection of the county charges in the several counties of this state.

By order,

NICH. HARWOOD, Clk. Com. Tax,
Anne-Arundel county.

March 11, 1803.

Pursuant to an order of the orphans court of Anne-Arundel county, will be SOLD, at PUBLIC SALE, on Thursday the 31st day of March, if fair, if not, the first fair day thereafter, at the late dwelling of NICHOLAS JOYCE, deceased, on the north side of Severn river,

ALL the personal property of the deceased, consisting of horses, hogs, horned cattle, bacon, corn, fodder, household and kitchen furniture, plantation utensils, with many other articles too tedious to enumerate. Six months credit will be given for all sums above sixteen dollars, with bond or note, on intereft, with approved security. The sale to commence at 10 o'clock.

JOHN LUSBY, Administrator.

N. B. All persons having claims against said estate will bring in their accounts, properly authenticated, on or before the first day of June next ensuing, and those indebted will make immediate payment.

March 10, 1803.

LAST NOTICE.

ALL persons indebted for the Maryland Gazette, Advertisements, &c. are once more earnestly requested to pay off their respective balances. It is sincerely hoped that proper attention will be paid to the above request, or compulsory measures, though extremely disagreeable, must be resorted to.

FREDERICK GREEN.

ALL persons having claims against the estate of JOHN GORDON, late of the city of Annapolis, deceased, are requested to bring them in, legally attested, and those indebted to said estate are desired to make immediate payment, to

JOSEPH SANDS, Executor.

March 15, 1803.

NOTICE.

THE subscriber hereby gives notice, that he intends to apply to the court of Prince-George's county, at the next April term, for a commission to mark and bound two tracts of land, one called WARBURTON MANOR, and the other FRANKLAND, lying in said county, according to the acts of assembly in such cases made and provided.

THOMAS A. DIGGES.

Warburton, February 18, 1803.

A FEW QUARTER CASKS OF GENUINE

London Particular Madeira Wine,

FIT FOR IMMEDIATE USE,

Still on hand, and for sale by the subscribers, on reasonable terms for cash.

MILBOURN SIGELL.

Annapolis, November 23.

THIS is to give notice, that the subscriber, of Anne-Arundel county, in the State of Maryland, hath obtained from the orphans court of Anne-Arundel county, in Maryland, letters testamentary on the personal estate of AQUILA PIKE, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, at or before the tenth day of September next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under my hand, this 10th day of March, 1803. 2

THOMAS BICKNELL, Executor.

THIS is to give notice, that the subscriber, of Anne-Arundel county, in the State of Maryland, hath obtained from the orphans court of Anne-Arundel county, in Maryland, letters of administration on the personal estate of JOSEPH DEALE, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, at or before the fifteenth day of September next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under my hand, this 15th day of March, 1803. 2

SAMUEL DEALE, Administrator.

THIS is to give notice, that the subscriber, of Anne-Arundel county, in the State of Maryland, hath obtained from the orphans court of Anne-Arundel county, in Maryland, letters of administration on the personal estate of JAMES CADLE, late of Anne-Arundel county deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, at or before the tenth day of September next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under my hand, this 10th day of March, 1803. 2

WILLIAM WALKER, Administrator.

ROMULUS,

A BEAUTIFUL iron grey, full fifteen hands and one inch high, rising six years old, will stand this season, to cover mares, at the farm of the subscriber, on the south side of Severn river, about five miles from the city of Annapolis, at the moderate price of four dollars and one quarter the season, to be paid on or before the first day of December next. Romulus was got by High Flyer, his dam by Roebuck. The season to commence the first of April next, and continue until the 15th of July following. Casualties and escapes at the risk of the owners of the mares. 2

FRANCIS T. CLEMENTS.

Annapolis, March 17, 1803.

THIS is to give notice, that the subscriber hath obtained from the orphans court of Anne-Arundel county, letters of administration on the estate of DANIEL WILLIAMSON, late of the county aforesaid, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby requested to bring them in, legally authenticated, to the orphans court, in order to be passed, and those indebted to said estate to make payment, to

ELIZABETH WILLIAMSON, Adm'x.

January 26, 1803. 6X

To be RENTED,

THAT commodious dwelling-house, lately occupied by WALTER DULANY, Esq; in this city, to which belongs an excellent garden, out houses, &c. For terms apply to Mr. ADDISON, now in possession of the premises, or to

SAMUEL RIDOUT.

Annapolis, May 17, 1802. 21

TO THE PUBLIC.

I TAKE this mode of informing those who may have property for sale, that I will act as auctioneer, on application. My experience and ability in that line may be known on inquiry.

C. MILLS.

Annapolis, August 17, 1802. 20

By virtue of sundry writs of *venditioni exponas*, to me directed, out of the general court of the western shore of Maryland, will be SOLD, for ready money, on Friday the 1st day of April next, at THOMAS ELLIOTT'S tavern,

THE following property, to wit: the remains of one thousand acres of land, called HARRISON'S RESURVEY, after deducting the purchase of Mr. Joseph Childs, which is about 379 acres; the above land was taken in execution as the property of Samuel Harrison, jun. one at the suit of Joshua Johnson, use of Thomas Cook, two at the suit of Benjamin Harrison, use of Robert Denny, two at the suit of Richard and Bennett Darnall, and any execution that may come to hand.

HENRY HOWARD, Sheriff of
4X Anne-Arundel county.

I HEREBY give notice, that I intend to apply to Anne-Arundel county court, at April term next, for a commission to mark and bound a tract of land, lying in said county, called JOHN and MARY'S CHANCE, being a resurvey on two tracts or parts of tracts of land, the one called DAN, and the other called JERICHO, in pursuance of the act of assembly, entitled, An act for marking and bounding lands.

JOHNSON M. O'REILLY.

Herring Bay, Anne-Arundel county,
January 1, 1803. 5

PUBLIC SALE.

By virtue of an order from the orphans court of Anne-Arundel county, will be EXPOSED to SALE, on Wednesday, the 30th day of March next, all the personal property of GEORGE SHIPLEY, sen. deceased, at the white house occupied by a certain Peter Orindorff, on the turnpike road leading from Baltimore to Frederick-town.

THE property consists of eight NEGROES, among which are two likely young men, and one woman, and two children with the rest, also cattle, and one horse, household furniture. The sale will commence precisely at 10 o'clock. The terms of sale CASH.

3X DUNCAN SHIPLEY, Administrator.

Pursuant to an order of the orphans court of Anne-Arundel county, will be SOLD, at PUBLIC SALE, on Monday the 28th instant, if fair, if not the first fair day thereafter, at the late dwelling of JOHN MERCER STEVENS, deceased, on the north side of Severn,

THE personal property of the deceased, consisting of household furniture, a quantity of lumber, a stud horse, a house frame and materials, and a schooner with her tackle, for the purpose of paying the debts due from the deceased. Terms of sale six months credit, on bond and interest, with approved security. The sale to commence at 11 o'clock, and continue till all is sold.

DORSEY JACOB, Executor.

March 10, 1803. 3X

In pursuance of a decree of the honourable chancellor will be SOLD, at PUBLIC SALE, on Saturday the 24th day of this present month, on the premises,

ONE hundred and fifty-two acres of land, being part of ALTOGETHER, situate on Elk-Ridge, and adjoining Carroll's Manor, being the late residence of John Dorsey, son of Michael, and at this time occupied by Gassaway Watkins; also one other tract, contiguous thereto, containing twenty-seven acres, called TODDY, which is in woods. These lands abound with lime stone, are of good quality, and are sold as the property of PHILEMON DORSEY, a lunatic. The purchaser or purchasers to give bond, with security, payable to the trustee, in twelve months, with interest.

RICHARD RIDGELY, Trustee.

At the same time will be sold, on the same credit, the personal property of said lunatic, consisting of a negro man, some stock, and sundry household furniture.

3X GASSAWAY WATKINS.

Elk-Ridge, March 1, 1803.

THEOPHILUS HOLT,

NURSERY and SEEDSMAN,
City of Washington,
Has for SALE, a large collection of
FRESH GARDEN SEEDS,
Consisting of the following,

EARLY frame peas,	Brocoli,
Early Charlton do.	Scotch kale,
Dwarf marrowfat do.	Deptford onion,
Large marrowfat do.	Large Tripoli do.
Dwarf Prussian do.	Spanish do.
Dwarf union do.	Green Turkey cucumber,
Dwarf prolific do.	Long prickley do.
Large Windsor beans,	Loaf lettuce,
Turkey longpod do.	Brown Dutch do.
Lima do.	White asparagus,
Saddlestrap do.	Common do.
Dwarf bunch do.	Solid celery,
Early York cabbage,	Spinage,
Early sugarloaf do.	Early scarlet radish,
Early Battersea do.	Spanish do.
Large Drumhead do.	Turnip do.
Green Savoy do.	Early Dutch turnip,
Red pickling do.	Early horn carrot,
Early cauliflower,	Long orange do.
Late cauliflower,	Large parsnip,
Red beet,	With many other sorts.

Also fruit trees, flowering shrubs, roots, &c. &c.

February 25, 1803. 3X

THIS is to give notice, that the subscriber, of Anne-Arundel county, in the State of Maryland, hath obtained from the orphans court of Anne-Arundel county, in Maryland, letters of administration on the personal estate of CATHARINE STEVENS, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, at or before the third day of September next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under my hand this 3d day of March, 1803.

3 JAMES CLEARY, Administrator.

THIS is to give notice, that the subscriber, of Saint-Mary's county, hath obtained from the orphans court of said county, in Maryland, letters of administration on the personal estate of her brother, the late Mr. JOHN BOND, of John, deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same to the subscriber, or to Mr. Elisha Johnson, who is hereby authorised to settle all accounts, at or before the first of December next, they may be otherwise excluded by law from all benefit of the said estate. Given under my hand this 25th day of February, 1803.

3 ELIZABETH BOND.

NOTICE.

AS it is indispensably necessary that the concerns of the late firm of RIDGELY and EVANS should be brought to an immediate close, NOTICE is HEREBY GIVEN to all persons who are indebted to the said firm, by bond, note, or open account, and on which judgments have been obtained, that longer indulgence cannot be given, but that they will be put in immediate execution; and all others indebted by bond, note, or open account, are desired to come forward, without delay, and settle the same, otherwise they may expect, by the 18th day of March next, they will be put into the hands of an attorney, and suit brought on the same at next April and May term.

3X ABSALOM RIDGELY,
JOSEPH EVANS.

N. B. Those indebted to said firm on coming forward and paying one half, so as to enable them to meet their payments, will be allowed a further time for the balance.

Annapolis, February 23, 1803.

TAKEN up as trespassing strays, two FILLIES, the one a dark bay, about thirteen hands high, three years old, and has one white foot; the other is a pale bay, about the same size, is supposed to be four years old, and has a small snip, neither of them has any perceivable brand, or other flesh mark. The owner or owners of the said fillies are requested to apply, pay charges, and take them away.

3X JOHN CHEW THOMAS.

February 26, 1803.

HAVING made a purchase of two NEGROES advertised by me in the Maryland Gazette of the 3d instant, as runaways, for a valuable consideration, and they being in my possession at my plantation, near Port-Tobacco, when I left the White Marsh, and having been imperiously and unjustly taken from thence soon after, without my leave or knowledge, by Mr. G. B. Bitouzey, a Frenchman, and detained since by him from my service; I do hereby forewarn him, or any other person, from harbouring or employing them, as I mean to support my claim to them in a legal way, and to put the law in force against every such offender.

JOHN ASHTON.

February 25, 1803. 3X

Mules for Sale.

The subscriber will OFFER for SALE, at Prince-George's county court, to be holden at Upper-Marlborough on the first Monday in April next,

A NUMBER of VALUABLE MULES. Persons inclinable to purchase will do well to attend at the time and place above mentioned, as a better opportunity of supplying themselves with this useful animal may probably not shortly happen.

5 WILLIAM MACKEY.

Twenty Dollars Reward.

RAN away, under the pretence of freedom, a negro woman by the name of ALLE, a very dark brown woman, has tolerable long hair, aged twenty-five years, five feet five or six inches high, and has good proportion to her height; she took her child with her which she called AUSTIN, or JACOB, and in his absence has taken the name of MURIER JOICE, and it is not unlikely but that she has changed her name again; it is supposed she is harboured about Mr. Charles Carroll's quarter, as she has many kindred there, and has been frequently seen in the neighbourhood of Annapolis; all the quarters neighbouring to town may be suspected, as she has been away a considerable time, and has had the opportunity of getting acquainted with almost every such place. Whoever takes up said woman, with or without the child, and secures her so that the owner gets her again, shall be entitled to the above reward, paid by

14 JAMES SANDERS.

COMMITTED to my custody as a runaway, a stout likely negro man, who calls himself JACK TURNER, and says he is free, a joiner by trade, that he has a father and mother, and some other relations, living in Baltimore, from whence he was forced away by a certain capt. Jervis, about four years ago, and carried and sold to a planter in Georgia, from whom he escaped last fall, and was on his way to Baltimore when apprehended. Jack is a likely young black man, about twenty-three years of age, five feet ten inches high, very bare of cloaths, and can read a little, has a scar on his left eye-brow. His master, if any, is requested to take him away, otherwise he will be sold agreeably to law for prison fees and other charges.

3 THOMAS PRICE, Sheriff of
Charles county.

February 21, 1803.

WHEREAS my wife ANNE BRAY, has eloped from my bed and board, without any provocation whatsoever; this is therefore to forewarn all persons from crediting her on my account, as I am determined to pay no debt of her contracting from this date.

JOS. BRAY.

February 19, 1803. X

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